

Hook a Book ... Catch an IB Attitude! is designed to meet the following complimentary goals:

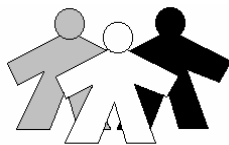
- To encourage the students' love of reading by engaging them in a fun-filled discovery of quality literature, and
- To stimulate students' character development by encouraging them to relate the books' characters and themes to the IB attitudes focused on monthly.

Volunteers choose 2-3 books from a list compiled around a central theme, which has been chosen to reflect a particular IB attitude. Upon entering a classroom, they share the theme with the class, and engage in a short discussion of how it relates to the IB attitude. After reading a story, they may discuss how characters or themes relate to the IB attitude.

In keeping with the program's name, a tackle box is provided for transporting selected books to the classroom. A fishing vest is also provided. The students enjoy seeing volunteers with props in the halls and it helps to feed their enthusiasm for the program.

Program themes change bi-weekly and generally reflect the IB attitude for the month, as listed below:

October-	Integrity	February-	Confidence
November-	Curiosity	March-	Appreciation
December-	Commitment	April-	Cooperation
January-	Enthusiasm	May-	Creativity



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